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Crown Rent \$8.40.

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The premises situate upon it are known as

No. 382, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL and consist

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Homekdee, June 21st, 1899.

There were 21 cases of plague yesterday and 21 deaths.

H.M.S. Watmwitch left Shanghai on the other boat came alongside and was kept along. 15th June for Tinghai, in order to complete the side by means of an oar. There were five men

to be restored to China. Can it be true?

Yesterday being Accession day the men-ofwar in harbour and the Empress of India wers decorated and at noon a salute was fired .-At the Summary Court vesterday Mr. Justice

for perjury. In the Queen's Birthday Gazette appears, the

name of Mr. H. M. Stanloy, the explorer, who has been appointed a Knight Grand Cross of back to Aberdeen and made a report to the

We would call our readers' attention to the fact that the concert announced to be given at the Peak Hotel by Signer, Jesse Brandani on Saturday evening will take place on Friday evening instead.

17 At the Magistracy vestorday ex-warder Davies pleaded guilty to stealing \$50 from a locked box. the preparty of worder Burn, from the officers' quarters in Hollywood Road \$50 has been recovered. The man was sentenced to four months with hard labour.

A Royal Warrant has been issued which institutes a new decoration to be designated "The Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration" for long and meritorious service. Another warrant institutes a medal to be called "The Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service

FeWhilst the steamer Changing, Capt. Bowker, from Hongkong, was appearling Breaker Point on the morning of the 11th June, three Chinese were observed adrift in a sampin, and making signals of distress. On taking them on board they reported being the only specious of a fishing junk's crow of lon. The Captain took the men on to Slanghai.

A Chinese flower boy was charged with stacking another boy with a knife. According to the story of complement the party organs having some words when defendants kulie and stabbed complainant in the back and I an the obdomen. Complainant had to be taken to the hospital in consequence. Defendant sail complainant (struck him several times; they were sparated and then complainant rushed at him again, and foll against a knife which he had in his hand. His Worship, in sentencing defendant to four months with hard labour! said he had had a narrow escape of being charged.

with inflicting serious injury upon complainant.

We have received the annual report of the Life Saving Society for 1897-98 and the Society's Handbook of Tustruction. The objects of the Bockety are: -(1) To promote technical education in saying and requestation of the apparently drowned; (2) to alimulate public opinion in favour of the general adoption of ewimming and life saving as a branch of instruction in schools, colleges, etc; (3) to encourage Boating, diving, plunging, and such other swimming arts as would be of assistance to a for the highest class for a vessel of this type. person in attompting to save life, (4) to organge and promote public lectures, demonstrations, and ling day and night, A repairing room is also competitions, and to form classes of instruction. so as to bring about a wide spread and thorough knowlege of the principles which underlie the the art of untation. The bandbook contains full information on: (1) How to teach swimming, diving, plunging, and floating; (2) how to

carry to land an a creatly dead person; (3); how to manage a fig. Free moself from the in the water; (4) how platal of the dear-Las opported by dra-

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS," LONDON, 18th June, 1899. CRICKET.

Australia wou the second test match by les

M. Waldock-Rousseau is endeavouring to form a Cabinet and offering M. Casimir-Perfor the portfolio for war.

DISTURBANCES IN EASTERN EUROPE: Socious conflicts have occurred on the Servian. frontier owing to the raiding of Albanians by (or on) Servian troops. The Porte and Servia are exchanging notes. GREAT BRITAIN AND THE

TRANSVAAL The Financial Times states that the Gorman Consul at Protoria has been instructed from Berlin to inform Bresident Kruger that Germany considers the demands of Great Britain. fair and reasonable and desires President Kruger to accode to them as far as possible. Sir H. C. Bannerman, speaking at Historic said that nothing had occurred to justif

Military preparations against the Transvaal. * THE PEACE CONFERENCE. The Peace Conference has come to a deadlock apon the British schome for organised arbitration, owing to the opposition of Germany.

SUPREME COURT.

CRIMINAL SISSIONS. WATERS MANUFACTURED | BEFORE HIS HONOUR W. MEIGH GOOD MAN (ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE)

> THE MISSING JURYMAN. On Monday Mr. C. M. Teosing, who had been summoned to attend the Court as a jurar. was absent and his Lordship ordered that be should be warned to attend that morning. Mr. J. W. Jones (Clerk to the Court) in formed his Lordship that Mr. Teesing was present and asked to be excused for being absent the previous day. He was a foreigner, had only been in the colony two months, and was ignorant; of the law.

Mr. Teesing said he was a Dutchman. His Lordship said Mr. Teesing had received a summons to appear in court to serve on the jury. and he ought to have been present the previous. "degree of organic purity and is day at ten o'clock. There were only 30 men called and among these 3 mon the whole work of the sessions had to be distributed. By not being present Mr. Teesing threw upon the other 29 men more work than they would otherwise have had to do. If Mr. Teesing had been present the previous day possibly one of the other gentlemen would not have had to serve. Seeing that he enjoyed the hospitality of the colony surely it was worth Mr. Toosing's while to comply with the laws of the colony, and one of those laws was that residents should take a part in the administration of justice. Taking all the circumstances into consideration however. he would not impose any fine, but Mr. Teesing must attend throughout the session and not make an excuse of the kind again.

THE ARMED ROBBERY NEAR LOK CHAN. Lam Kui was charged with robbery being armed and robbery with violence. He pleaded

128 | not guilty. A. W. B. Soares, E. Bosck, C. H. Thompson, ment propose to collect Customs duties on other J. J. Sibbot, W. J. Mayson, L. A. Vichy, and commodities? The Acting Attorney General (the Hon. IF. E. Pollock) said prisoner in this case was by the Police, will the Government say whother charged upon two different counts, but these or not the Customs Officials are still in occupatwo different counts both related to the same tion? set of circumstances and only amounted to two different ways of describing the offence with linken to collect duties temporarily or for an which prisoner stood charged. In the first indefinite period? count prisoner was charged with being armed | The ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL-In the

first count the jury would have to find prisoner | question is, for an indefinite period. guilty of robbery being armed with a knife; in the second count it was not necessary for them to find that he was armed. In the early morring of May 24th a boatman named Chun Yau, n fisherman living at Aberdeen, went out in his boat with his wife. They rowed in the direction of Lok Chan; a village on the south side of Limma Island. When they had got some way across the channel close to Lok Chan they noticed a boat row out towards them, and some men who occupied the boat shouted out to them in Chinese to turn round the head of their boat. Then prosecutor and his wife stopped rowing and the

in the boat and two of them got on to prosecutor's boat, each of them being armed with a An extraordinary report is in circulation to | knife. One of them seized prosecutors wife the effect that Santchun and Kowloon city are by the hair of her head, and holding a knife close to her neck said, "Bring out money; it you don't I'll chop you." Sho was very much afraid and said, "I have no money; m husband and I are out on business." man flien went towards the hasband, and strock him on the back with the firt of a knife and also with his fist. They then took away Wise sentanced the plaintiff in a case and one the property described in the information of his witnesses to two months' imprisonment | namely, a jade baugle and a silver girale. The two men then got into their own beat and rowel away in the direction of Pak Hok, near Lin Chan Wan, a village on the west side of Lamma Island. Prosecutor and his wife went

unlice. Sergeant Langley and two Chinese constables accompanied them to Pak Hok, which was on Lamma Island, and then walked to Lin Chan Wau. Here prosecutor and his wife identified prisoner as, one of the men who had uttacked them, picking him out of 20 men. Sergeant Langley, in charge of the Police Station at Aberdoen, gave evidence as to the Prosecutor's wife said prisoner was the man-

who attacked her, the other man who had got into their boat attacking her husband. Prosecutor also gave evidence. He said the same man attacked him who attacked his wife. the other man searching the boat. The stolen articles were worth about \$3. The jury roturned' a verdict of not guilty,

being unanimously of opinion that the case was one of mistaken indentity. The court adjourned at tiffin until this

THE CHARGES AGAINST A BANK $SHROFF_{c}$

At the Magistracy yesterday Young Choun In alias Young Kwan, was sentenced to six menths' imprisonment for stealing a bank book the property of the Hongkong" and Shanghai Bank, and was committed for trial on the charge of making false entries in a bank pass

book with intent to defraud.

On 12th May Messra, Wm. Simons and Co., imited launched complete from their works at Renfrow the first of two powerful dreds vessels which they have constructed to undertake extensive dredging operations in connection with the improvement of Port Arthur and Talieuwan. The vessel has been built under the direction of Mr. Totshyski, inspecting engineer, assisted by Mr. Johnson. The dredger, in addition to being provided with a chain of buckets for discharging into barges alongside, is fitted with a sand suction pump, also a mud discharging pump, to which attached fully 2,000 feet of shore discharging pipes, carried on floating pontoons, baving flexible joints. The resel is capable of dredging and discharging 1,000 tons of spoil per hour,

and of working to a dopth of 40 feet below the water level. Two pair of compound surface condensing ongines are fitted for propelling the vessel at a spood of seven knots per hour. It is constructed in accordance with the rules of Bureau Veritas Eleptric light installation is provided for workfitted on board with turning lathe, drilling and planing machine, &c. As the vessel left the ways she was named Pervi by Mrs. Walter Brown, Moukdyko, Renirow.

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HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE OOUNCIL.

kong Legisative Council was held in the Council Chamber at the Covernment Offices, there being present:--" His Excellency the Governor, Sir HENRY BLAKE, G.C.M.G. His Exceltency Major, General Gascoigns

Yesterday aftermon a meeting of the Hong-

C.M.G. (Commanding the Troops). Hon. H. E. Pollock (Acting Atterney-Hon. R. MURRAY RUMBRY (Harbour Muster). Hon. F. H. MAY, C.M.G. (Captain Superintendent of Police). Hou. A.-M. Thouson (Colonial Treasurer)

Hon. R. D. ORMSHY (Director of Public Hon C. P. CHATER, C.M.G. Hon. T. H. WAITCHEAD. Hon, Dr. Ho KAL Hon. E. R. BELILIOS, C.M.G.

Hon. J. J. KESWICK. Hon, Wel A You. Mr. J. G. T. BUCKLE (Clerk of Councils).

ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL laid various on the Bill he would move its adoption. expenditure has been disbursed?

a statement of the total expenditure payable reading is purely a formal matter. out of the Colonial Treasury in connection with the preparations for and the occupation of the colony's new territory leased by China to Great Britain per the Convention of 30th June, 1893? 3 - What steps have the Government taken to bring the Police Forceup to its full strength | Council. as authorised by Ordinauce, and are the Government prepared to introduce an Ordinauce sanctioning the increase of the force to a strength sufficient for the adequate policing of

the colony's new territory? 4.-Will the Government lay upon the table a copy of the correspondence which passed between the British Government and the Imnerial Government of Chias and the Colonial Government on the subject of the arrangements to be made in accordance with the Convention of 20 h June, 1898, for the better protection of the Chinese revenue from loss by the smuggling of onium from Hongkong into Chiua?

THE HON. E. R. BELILIOS AND THE TREAT MENT OF PLAGUE PATIENTS. The Hon. E. R. BELLING-I beg to give no. tice that at the next meeting of the Council I propose to ask two or three questions to the effect whether or not there has been any change, any improvement, any progress made in the treatment of plague patients in our hospitals since the opidemic year of 1894. THE HON. B. R. BELILIOS AND THE CHINES

The Hon. E. R. BELILIOS-I beg to ask the questions standing in my name.

The questions was as follows:--1.—The Secretary of State for the Colonies baying only sanctioned the collection of duties The following composed the jury :- Messrs. on Opium by this Government, do the Govern-2.—The Station formerly belonging to the Imperial Maritime Custome having been taken over

3.-Have the Colonial Government under

with a knife and committing a robbery upon a absence of the Colonial Secretary I have boatman called Chun Yau in the waters of the to give the answers. The answer to the fir t colony. In the second count prisoner was question is no. The answer to the second charged with having, with certain other persons | question is, the staff are still in occupation of to the Acting Attorney-General unknown; com- some stations pending accommodation being adited this robbery upon Chan You. In the provided for them. The answer to the third THE PIERS ORDINANCE, 1899-THREATUNED

OPPOSITION. The Acting Attorney-General moved the first reading of a Bill autitled the Piers

Ordinance, 1899. The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded. The Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD-Sir, I rise to move the rejection of the first reading of this Bill on the ground that it is a violation of existing rights. There are wharves and piers held under existing Ordinances which still some five years to run. There are others: and Markets Ordinances. held under special agreements between the G veriment and the wherf owners. Firms and others holding licences for wharves and piers | 3398,672,87 to defray the charges of the year under the old scale of fews are entitled to three 1898. months' notice before any change can be made n the terms and conditions of the licences already granted. If the proposed Ordinance is passed and brought into force on 1st July eleven days hence, as clouse 20 of the Bill in cates, it would amount to a confiscation co valuable property wholly unautho used by pre-

codent in imperial legislation. His Excellency one Governor-The Hon the Acting Attorney General has pointed out that it is not usual for any honourable member, though it is in his power to do so, to bject to the introduction of a Bill. do not know whother there is an instance where the first readings of a Bill has been objected to, because it is merely laying the sill on the table; and then all the objections oan be brought forward at the second reading The first reading of a Bill is morely the introduction of a measure to the Council. But as

say, I am not aware why an honourable member should not take an unusual course and object to the first randing. The Hon. R. F. WHYTEHEAD - My remarks, the whole Conneil sir, are very brief. I will continue by saying that the rents and fees proposed to be charged under this Ordinance are exorbitant. They are six t mes more than the highest Crown rent charged upon the most valuable marine lots in the colony. The licencees of wharves and piers do not derive any profit from those wharves and piers; they are there for the publi convenience and the public benefit—to facilitate shipping and to promote the trade of the port. They are also assential for the proper landing of the food supply of the colony. Ti ere is nothing in this Ordinance which would prayent a new Governor 12 months hence coming to this Council and raising the rent of piers and wharves ten-fold from taking away the exemption from taxes and the increased tenure which this Ordinance professes to give tham, as the Government have continuously in the Council a majority of official members who are required | denied the charge. Formal evidence of arrest to vote as directed. ("Hear, hear," from the having been given by a Chinese constable Hon. C. P. Chater.) I regard this Ordinance as a | prisoner was remanded. He will be brought up retrograde Ordinance of no ordinary magnitude. again on Thursday afternoon with the other man | business all my-life, and T do not think that dispute between the United States and Canada, It is just as much a direct tax upon shipping as arrested on the same charge. the recently proposed increase in light dues and the proposition to establish and impose harbour dues which the Secretary of State for the. Colonies in his wisdom has refused to sanction. within the last few days. This measure, sir, is destined to interfere with the freedom of the port and to retard its progress and impair its prosperity, its progress and prosperity having mainly been dependent upon the freedom of the Your Excellency's producessors wrote Be-

clause 42, recommended, namely, that "drafts the control of the same man were incorporated.

words in answer to the honograble member for interests, and determining to a gallon how much the Chamber of Commerce. I do not know oil shall be produced and refined and to a fract that foreign commercial travellers, depots, or whether he is aware of the fact that I tion of a cent what shall be its price. Such is settlements in the interior would alter the course have already arranged to have a consultation the brief history of the kerosine oil industry, and of trade. I will confess that I have met Gerwith Mr. Francis, Q.C., upon the subject of there are many others like it, as for example the man and American commercial travellers in this Bill. The point was raised originally by authracits coul land of Pennsylvania, occupying China—a very limited number—but they were the senior anofficial member upon the construct an area of 270,000 sores, the rich owners of carrying with them samples not of piece-goods. tion of Ordinances 18 and 19 of 1884, but which, who, are popularly known as "coal but of arms and other articles, which could of course I do not know whether the senior barons," agree to fix absolutely the wholesale not be safely entrusted to Chinese without unofficial member intended Mr. Francis to price of coal, always securing an immonse suspicion being aroused. British manufactures discuss with me also the other question men- rise just before the winter sets in, so that are already well known throughout nearly the lioned by the honourable member, for the there is no such thing as free trade and whole longth and breadth of Co.n., and native Chamber of Commerce. At all events I know open competition in this industry. Further, agents who are content to spen hours and Mr. Francis is going to disuss with me the combinations in the United States have been even days, at little expense, in soliciting question how this Ordinance will affect the made by the Western millers, the New York orders for wholesale Chinese houses are the rights of pier owners under Ordinaness 18 and leamen, Boston fish dealers, manufacturers of best commercial travellers for our goods. Even 19 of 1894, and I think it is very probable he sewer pipes, copper miners, makers of lamps, pot. granting that a foreign commercial traveller will discuss with me further questions mentioned tors, glass, hoop iron, shot rivets, candy, starch, by the honourable member for the Chamber of sugar, preserved fruits, glucose, chairs, yapour, I have not yet made the acquaint nee of the Powers in the direction of disarmament is pro-In the absence of the Colonial Secretary, the Thursday next, that is to say, before the se- machinary, pins, salt, hardware, type brass same linguistic footing commercially or othertubing, silk, and wire. In these trades freedom coud reading of this Bill will come on I do not of production and sale his been partically or papers on the table. The papers included the see, sir, any reason for delaying the first realreport of the Standing Law Committee on the ling of this Bill, because, as your Excellency has penalties imposed for violations of rules which Criminal Procedure Bill (No. 2) and with regard pointed out, the first reading of a Bill to this he said that when they came to committee is purely a formal matter. The important question is the second reading of the Bill and how QUESTION BY THE HON. T. H. WHITEHEAD, this Bill ought to be dealt with in com-The Hon. T. H. WHITHHEAD-I bog to mittoe. I need not say that I shall very caregive notice that at the next meeting fully listen to any argument which may be of the Council I will ask the follow- preposed to me by Mr. Francis upon the subing questions :- 1 - Will the Government ject of this Bill, and as to how far it interferes lay upon the table a statement of the amount with existing rights, and as to how for it is

expended by the Works Department for repairs proper in itself. If I think in any way that and alterations to "Beaconsfield" and of the this Bill does unduly interfere with existing re-payments made by the owner of the building | rights, I shall have no hesitation whatever it in respect of the former; also state for the inform- laying that view before Your Excellency. It marks, I suggest that the Bill ought to go socialisation, as what is done in the interests of privacy which the native do s not banker after. Conference which will deal with the question ation of the Council under what authority this | will be my duty to do so. With these lew re-2.—Will the Government lay upon the table through the first reading. As I said, the first a few shareholders in the way of combination There is no such thing as caste; the wealthy of arbitration. The Ron. T. H. WHITCHEAD-If I may be allowed to say one word. I think the course which the honograble Attorney General has piracies, John Chinaman's puny attempt at the referred to should be followed before any Bill

is submitted even for the first reading of the The Bill passed its first reading, the Hon. T. H. Whitehead and the Hon. C. P. Chater voting against: The Hon. J. J. Keswron-If I should be in order I should like to ask on behalf of the

Hongkong and Kowleou Wharf and Gocounsel at the second reading. counsel.

honourable member is quite right in moving | and the public, also with being in the possession at this meeting to preserve his rights. longkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godewa Company I beg to ask Your Excellency's permission that Coupsel be heard at the second reading of the Piers Ordinance. The passing of this Or inance would, the Board of Directors are advised, affect the rights which the Company enjoys by virtue of existing Ordinances which it is proposed to repeal, and that is their reason for wishing to be represented by Counsel at the second reading.

the Bill. I am sure it would be a very great assistance to honourable members of this Council to have a petition presented setting forth the reasons for the opposition to the Bill.

His Excellency the GOVERNOR-I hope that the honourable member will send in a petition which may be circulated among the members. The Hon. J. J. KESWICK-I will attend to

OTHER FIRST READINGS. The following bills passed their first readings

without community — A Bill entitled An Ordinance for the Naturalization of Ts'oi Youk-shan. A Bill entitled an Ordinance for the Naturalization of Fan Nang, alias Fan Sau, alias Fan Pat Shau, alias Fan Tun Shin. A Bill entitled an Ordinance to further sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment. amend the Public Health Ordinance, 1887. A Bill entitled an Ordinance to amend the Arms Consolidation Ordinance, 1895. A Bill antitled an Ordinance to amend the

Liquor Licenses Ordinance, 1893. A Bill entitled an Ordinance to further amend the Cattle Diseases, Slaughter Houses. A Bill entitled an Ordinance to authorise the appropriation of a supplementary sum of

THE LAWS RELATING TO CRIMINAL The Council went into committee to consider

th Bill entitled an Ordinance to consolidate

and a gend the Laws relating to Criminal Proced a c in the Supreme Court. The Acting Attorney-General-With regard to this Bill, I have laid upon the table of the Council the report of the Standing Law Committee on the Criminal Procedure Bill, and in addition to that report there has also been circulated a separate sheet of paper show. ing in what respects the amendments proposed by the Law Committee affect the Bill as read second time, and together with a print of the whole Bill showing how the Bill will read if

the amendments proposed by the Law Committer are adopted. I propose under Standing Oriet 41, if no honourable member has any objection to make, to move the adoption of the report of the Standing Law Committee in order that it may be dealt with in the same way as a Bill reported upon by a committee of His Excellency the GOVERNOR - Has

been certified by the Chairman... The Acting Attorney General-Yes, sin The Hon. C. P. CHATER seconded, and the motion was carried. Not amendments were made in committee and on the Council resuming the Bill was read a third time and passed.

The Council adjourned until Tuesday week. THE MURDER AT UN LOONG,

ANOTHER ARREST:

At the Magistacy yesterday another China man-Choong Kin-was charged with being concorned in the murder of Tang Cheung, the man who was posting H. E. the Governor's proclamation at Un Loong on the 17th April. He

CORRESPONDENCE

[We do not hold ourselves responsible for the upinions expressed by our correspondents.] THE KEROSINE OIL MONOPOLY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." Sir, I have read with much interest your lioving that the satisfactory development of our lable article re the Chinese and their love for prosperity is mainly due to the emancipation | monopolies. Granting that monopolies in any of all shipping und trade from fiscal rera- shape or form are nothing but conspiracion to tions and exactions, I trust no custom-house rob the many in the interests of the few. machinery will ever be introduced, either for still; it does seem passing strange that one the collection of tariff or harbour dues or for should cry out so loudly against the Chinese any purpose which may check the free ingress when our whole commercial system is based and ogress of all shipping to and from the port, upon a gigantic system of monopolies. Not nor the free transfer of commodities from hand to mention the recent corner in wheat, which to hand. Hongkong presents another erample was the cause of the Milan riots, and of antold of the clasticity and potency of whrestgroted suffering to thousands, take the kerosine oil issue, and several of the foreign firms in mitted to arbitration. commerce which has more than comparishanced | industry itself. The Standard Oil Trust is prothe burronness of the soil, the absence of bably the largest single business monopoly in agricultural, and manufacturing, industry, the world, the value of its included interests the disadvantages of its climate, and every being estimated at £29,600,000. Its infinence le Lips and Vigour four the Harris.—The International Peace Conference, which met at impediment which would clog its progress. felt all over the world. The germ of this hage only article which really possesses natritions. The Hagne on the 18th instant, it is announced to the later of the lat The proposed legislation, sir, in my opinion is monopoly was a small perrolanal refluery nour wirtues for stimulating, and restoring the hair, that the questions of privateering and the B violation of existing rights, and it appears to Cleveland, bought by one Rookfeller, a book is Rowland's Macassau OIL. It removes neutrality of merchandise not contraband of me that it intentamenat to a confiscation of value keeper in a store. The concern grow, and scarr, harshness, dryness, prevents the hair war have been declared to be outside the scope able property. I would further call the aten- was incorporated as the "Standard Oil Com | being injured by Illness, and should always be of the Conference since they were not included tion of the decrement and the Council to the pany. It is charged with having secured used for children's hair; no other article im in the circular issued by the Uzar in August fact that this important Ordinance dul not reach special legislation by judicious expenditure in | parts such a beautiful and dressy appearance to last, in which the Powers were invited to the the hands of the unufficial members until Satur- various states. After a time the Company con- the hair as Rownand's Macassac Off. end if Conference. dry afternoon. I am not aware of any cause trolled every avenue of transportation, it was you have never used it, you are strongly ad-

of all new laws and regulations, unless of an in other states of the Union. In 1882, the that London and Glasgow, send out comwegent nature, should, as in India, be published Companies, were consolidated into the Standard mercial travellers who scour the provincial next most important questions to be discussed for three or six months before they are finally Oil. Frust, and the separate concerns were murged into our gigantio business controlled that proposition.

The Acting Attorney-General Porhaps America, controlling legislitive votes, forming that the wholesals houses of the Chinese pro
Recrease that is being maintained with regard to The Hon. C. P. CHATER-I beg to second by nine men; owning a mijerlty of the stock, your Excellency will allow me to say a few a solid alliance with the rallway and shipping

> which we would only expect to find under the wo need go no further than Hongkong and Canton to find examples of the same kind of thing in a lesser degree, No doubt these huge combinations or monopolies; will eventually bring about their own downfall, as already laws are being enacted for their curtailment and suppression, and some say that the natural outcome of it will by can be equally turned to account in the interest of the community at large.

> But when compared to these gigantic conssame game appears ludicrons indeed. -1 am, sir, ANTI-MONOPOLY.

Canton, 12th June, 1899. BANK-NOTE FORGERS AND COINERS.

At the Mixed Court at Shanghai on the 16th down Company for permission to be heard by June, before the magistrate, Mr. Weng and the British assessor. Mr. Mayers, three Ningpo His Exceptency the Governor-I have men were charged with being concerned with no doubt the Council would be pleased to hear others not custody in forging a number of \$5 bank notes, the facsimile of the Imperial Bank The Acrine Afronney-General The of China notes, thereby defrauding the Bank of machinery and plant for their manufacture Hon. J. J. Keswick-Sir, on behalf of the Deputy Captain Superintendent Mackenzie prosecuted on behalf of the police. Mr. A. W. Maitland, acting Chief Manager of the Imperial Bank of China, stated that on the 10th inst., two notes were handed into the Bank which were forgeries. He communicated, with Detective-Inspector Chamber of Deputies, by a majority of 238 Armstrong. On the 14th inst., four more of the votes to 149, endorsed the declaration made by forged notes were presented at the Bank and the Marquis Visconti Venosta Minister for the men were subsequently arrested. Detective. For sign Affairs, that a policy of expansion and Inspector Armstrong said he arrested the pri- | territorial occupation was not suited to Italy. soners on the 14th. For some time he had had THE OLEMAN EMPEROR AND THE COLONIES. The Hon, C. P. CHATER seconded, and the bis eye on the chief prisoner's movements and noticed that he was continually changing his l Subsequently the Acring Attorney Gen. abode; and upon examination of each of the va- Australia and Mr. W. P. Reeves Agent General. ERAL said - With regard to the motion made just | cated places he had always discovered traces of | for New Zealand who are attending the connow by the Honourable J. J. Keswick for Coun- burnt parchment and occasionally marks of red gress on tuberculosis now being held at Berlin sel to be heard on behalf by the Hongkong and and brown paint. On the 14th inst, he were among the geutlemen present at a recep-Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company I would arrested is prisoner in the Amoy Road, tion given by the Emperor William yesterday. as the scheme submitted by Russia did not propoint out to the honourable gentleman that ac. and in taking him to the station prisoner tried His Imperial Majesty received his colonial vide for any permanency of the proposed tricording to Standing order 52 there ought to be to pass a purse to another man, who was at | guest very graciousaly, and appeared to be bunal. M. de Stanl, the principal Russian rea petition presented to-show the reasons why it | once arrested. The purse was afterwards found | greatly interested in the colonies. is desired that counsel should be heard against I to contain a forged facsimile of the So notes in question. The first-named prisoner gave information of the police station as to the whereabouts of an accomplice, and he (Armstrong) and Detective Giltillan upon searching the accomplice's premises in Seward Road, found in some bedding the wooden stamp used for stamping the Bank Manager's name on the notes, also about 50 of the notes hidden in the roof of the garret. He arrested the occupant. 118 notes ready for circulation and 200 in different stages of production were shown to the Court, as was the purse had been passed was discharged for

want of sufficent proof of complicity. The other two admitted their guilt and were ouch The Assessor highly complimented Detective Inspector Armstrong and Detective J. Gilfillan upon the excellent manner in which they had effected the arrest, and requested Deputy Captain Superintendent Mackanzie to bring the fact to the notice of Captain Pattieson. Three Ningpo men and a Ningpo woman we e charged, with others not in custody, with coining a number of 10 and 20 cent pieces and putting same in circulation thoroby defranding the public, also with being in passession of dies for

the purpose of manufacturing the said coins: The discovery of these "smashers" was made by Constable Lynch, who, while in the performance of the special daty of tax collecting, called at No. 37i). Broadway on the 14th inst., and failing to obtain admission, forced the door open and there found a quantity of coins on the floor and the dies for their production. The woman and one of the men were discharged for want of evidence against them, but the other two were each sentenced to five years imprisonment N. C. Daily News.

THE EXTENSION OF FOREIGN TRADE IN CHINA.

NATIVE AGENIS THE DEST COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS.

aru Commission in their report lately oublished :--

his goods in the interior of China at a reasonhad actual experience. Yarn is only an in- Britin. ments in the interior, and why is it that the lofthe Democrats. oreign merchant in China turns a doar our to one and all of them? He applies one, and only one test to them, by asking the simple

lines, and here I may quote an a posite remark merchant on whose attention he was pressing a of the Nicaragua Canal. cheery for the betterment of trade. It was :-"Look here. I have been engaged in this All Lask of you to do is to some for me the Canadian Premier, insists that an rights to which I am entitled by treaty."

Chinese merchants in the great centres of at issue. Hongkong and Shanghai, and it is a mistake The United States newspapers, referring to to suppose that the foreign merchant carries the situation between that country and Canada. his gods to the outports or into the discuss the advisability of the imposition of a inter or for sale. In many cases, indeed, retaliatory tariff by America. they are indented for by the Chinese merchant to arrive within a specified limeushally three months for Indian yaru. The Government stated that they offered to submit Yunnan (I take Yunnan because if is a remote the Alaska boundary question to arbitration province of the Empire) merchants have their unreservedly, but the United States Governagents in Hongkong who do the buying in their ment stipulated that all the towns within the at the enslow-house at Wuchow to cover the scoop arbitration on those terms. Hongkong keep agents in Wushow whose daty

1029-3 aportions of mediation and erbitration in

it is to attend to this metter. I may be told

towns of the United Kingdom; but if I being the laws of war and a reduction of premistake not, the larger business houses through | sent armaments by the various Powers. out the United Kingdom send buyers at least vinces draw their supplies direct from Hongkong the probabilings of the Pence Conference, and and Shanghai, and I have no reason to suppose several of them have already left.

possessed a sufficient knowledge of clinese, and rorer, but any agreement on the part of the Commerce. That conference will take place on stoves, lime, rubber, serews, chains, harcesting | European who could meet the Chinaman on the wise, for the simple reason that he dows not exist—there is such an impassable gulf between the occidental and oriental minds that the Chiwholly destroyed, and in some instances heavy nese merchant prefers to deal with his own in Republican America have instituted a system | countryman - the compradore of a foreign hour -in his own way. As a chinoso official once Caliphs of Bagdad; though for that matter | put it to me :- "Your ways are not our ways. You, foreigners, think and speak straight; we. Chinese, think and speak in curves." It was not intended for an idle compliment, for the officer had at one time been the teacher of a Hague, declares that the prospects of the Condistinguished foreign official in China. And how many sales are personally effected between the now improved, partners or agents of a foreign hong and the Chinese merchant? The question needs no socialism and that all industries which have answer. The foreigner in the interior of China reached the Ring and Trust stage are ripe for | would require a certain measure of comfort and pany of a coolie. On steamers he usually submitted a scheme of arbitration to the Conprefers to be an ordinary, third-class or steerage | ference, and this is supported by Sir Julian passenger to paying for a private cabin. To Pauncefote, the principal representative of

the foreigner this means money and an inroad I Great Britain. into prospective profits. This applies with equal force to depots and foreign settlements in the interior. It is hardly necessary to speak of the interior, for when this port was opened in 1897 an attempt was made by one of the largest foreign | hopeful that a permanent arbitration tribunal houses in China to establish a foreign import market here, but it did not pay and was prompt and certain justice in international abandoned. That firm does the business in disputes. Hongkong on the lines I have already described. It will be said that the native agent is unreliable and untrustworthy. This is perfectly true,

and his personal perquisites are undoubtedly much less than would be the expenses incurred by a foreigner. NEWS VIA AUSTRALIA.

but competition keeps his exactions within bounds

ITALIAN COLONIAL EXPANSION. London, 1st June. News from Rome states that the Italian

London 1st June. Dr. Cockburn Agent General for South

STRIKE OUTRAGE IN RUSSIA. London, 26th May. Reports from Rign in Northern Russia, failed to dissuade members of the Conference state that serious outrages were committed there from communicating short reports of the proby a number of man who were on strike. The ceedings to the newspapers, the representives strikers who had been drinking freely, and were of Belgium and Holland are threatening to in a very excited condition, came into conflict withdraw from the Conference. with the police, with whom they had a successful They then turned their attention to a the Russian newspapers publishing any news. number of houses of ill-fame to which they set of the proceedings of the Peace Conference. fire ofter saturating them with petroleum, and overal unfortunate women were burned to also the machinery. Four of the notes are still death. The rioters were, however eventually at St. Petersburg has been consured and retiroc in circulation. After examination of the pri- dispersed by the police after a serious conflict, by his Government for his indiscretion in havsoners by the Magistrate, the prisoner to whom in which sixteen persons were killed and fifty ing alleged that Great Britain prevented an in-London, 1st June.

> Reports are to hand of serious labour riots having occurred at Riga, in Northern Russia The troops were valled out to quell the disturbance, and in the conflict which ensued five of wounded, the wounds in twenty three cases be ing of a severe character. MINERS' INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS.

London, 24th May, An international congress of miners is now being hell at Brussels and is attended by delegates representing 140,000 men. The concres has passed a resolution in support of a legal eight hour day of labour. The only objectors to the proposal were the representatives of 30,000 Northumberland miners.

London, 26th May. The International Conference of Miners which is now sitting at Brussels, has adonte national minimum wage, also an international States belonging to the Arbitration or inderesolutions recombinding the adoption of

regulation of the output of coal. London, 27th May. sitting at Brussels has unanimously decided has proposed that, pending the decision of the The Miners international Conference now to recommend the nationalisation of mines, and tribunal, the two Powers whose dispute is being the appointment of workmon as inspectors of

CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES. London, 26th May. Mr. Smalley, the New York correspondent of The following passage from the report of the Times, in a message to that journal, says Mr. Consul Hosis on the trade of Wachow for I that the Anglo American Commission which 1898 rather upsets some theories of the Black. was appointed last year for the purpose of

arriving at an agreement on the malters in dispute between the United States and Canada The merchant who can establish a market for and which was adjourned some time ago until August next, will not resume its deliberations. able figure has a distinct advantage over any This, he says, is due to the action of Canada in rival for the Chinese are intensely conservative blocking proposals for the settlement of the evon in their purchases, and prefer to go on various matters which were considered reasonbuying the original brand of which they have able by both the United States and Great The British delegates defended the use of the

stance; all other manufactures are on exactly . The English newspapers, referring to the the same footing. The question is; how is this matter, express the opinion that the Republito be done? There is no lack, of nostrums for | can party in the United States, who are now in the improvement and development of the power, are afraid to concede more favourable foreign import trade of China, such as com- terms to Canada, as they fear that any such mercial travellers, depots, and foreign settle concession would result in a reaction in favour London, 26th May.

It is stated that the British Government intend to postpone the revision of the Claytonmestion, will they pay? Unequested that Bulwer treaty (which has been requested by the they will be continues his buings on the old United States) in deference to the wishes of the Canadian Government the question having once addressed to one of my colleagues by a been raised in connection with the construction London 28th May.

With reference to the various matters in you are likely to be able to toach me anything: it is announced that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the shall be arrived at on the Alaska boundary ques-The fact of the matter is, that nearly all the tion, or the matter submitted to arbitration. foreign goods is ported into China are sold to prior to any settlement of the other questions.

Further information states that the Canadian

colony, and the seller (i.e. the foreign merchant) | territory in dispute must be regarded as belongundertakes, if necessary, to obtain transit passes to the United States, and Canada declined to goods to their destination. Inward passes cost | Bir Wilfrid Laurier states that personally nothing, at least they ought to cost nothing, he would rather accept a compromise on the for the custom house makes no charge for their Alaska boundary question than have it sub-THE PEACE CONFERENCE.

> London, 20th May. With reference to the proceedings of the

international disputes in the forefront, the The newspaper correspondents who have

The Papal Nuncio has been temporarily wilddrawn, lest be should be accused of wirepulling in connection with the Conference, at which, owing to the objections of the Italian Government, the Pope is not represented. Lis announced that Russia has proposed no definite scheme of disarmament. The French representatives at the Conference have refused to accept a system of a limitation of armaments on a population basis; and Germany, Italy, and Austria (the Triple Alliance) are opposed to arbitration in international disputes.

London, 23rd May. A majority of the delegates are hopeful that the result of the conference will be to render wars

The representatives of twenty five different States will participate in the various committees to which the question before the Conforence are to be submitted. M. Bloch, the Russian paace apostle, declares that disarmament will follow the adoption by

the world of the principle of arbitration, and this is the question to which the deliberations of the Conference will be chiefly directed. The Times, this morning, commenting upon the proceedings of the Conference at The ference really accomplishing something have

M. Bourgergs, one of the Fronch representatives, and ex. Minister for Foreign Adhairs has been appointed president of the section of the

Sir Julian Paugcefote, the principal British

delegate, has been interviewed at The Hague. and in the course of his remarks he said he was would be established which would administer London, 26th May.

Madame Rolenka has presented to M. de Staal, the President of the Peace Conference at The Hagne, a richly bound album containing the resolutions in favour of international arbitration which have been adopted by several millions of women in eighteen different countries. Despite the objections of the representatives of

several of the European Powers, the American delegate. Mr. Andrews D. White, ins.sts upon the discussion of the question of the seizure of private property at sea in time of war. It is thought that he will be successful in having the matter discussed... London, 27th May. The Arbitration Committee has adopted the principle of mediation and arbitration in inter-

national disputes, and has appointed a sub-committee to study the Russian and Angle-American projects that have been submitted to the The sitting of the Arbitration Committee is stated to have been momentious and full of surprises. Sir Julian Pauncefote, the principal British delegate, proposed the appointment of a permanent International Arbitration Tribunal,

presentative, and President of the Conference. thereupon introduced a new scheme. It is stated that, the Russian delegates having

It is reported that the Netherlands Minister vitation being given to the Transvael to be

The Press consorahip in Russia is preventing

represented at the Peace Conference. Loudon, 29th May. The plan proposed by Sir Julian Pauncefote for the appointment of a permanent internstional arbitration tribunal has been embodied by the riotors were killed and seventy-eight Professor Martens, the eminent Russian jurist, and one of the Russian representatives at the Conference, in the arbitration scheme submitted

by Liussia. London, 30th May. The following details of the plan proposed by Sir Julian Pauncefole, the principal British delegate, for the appointment of a permanent arbitration tribunal to deal with international disputes are reported. The proposal is that an International Council, sitting either at Berne or The Hague, should be empowered to arbitration between any two Powers, whenever the disputants applied for the intervention of the council; the disputants to choose the arbiters either from a list of persons nominated by the pendently. A speedy decision on the part of the arbitrators is to be considered imperative. As an addition to this scheme. M. Nigra

adjudicated upon shall be permitted to mobilise. London, 31st May The United States are stated to be supporting the plan proposed by Sir Julian Panncefote the principal British representative, for the appointment of a permanent arbitration tribunal

o deal with international disputes. The Armaments. Committee of the International Peace Conference have vetord the use explosive bullets, and also the Dumdum bullet, which has been used by the British troops in India. It was also decided to prohibit the discharge of explosives from balloons. rotained for Great Britain the right of liberty f action in the matter. A proposal by the Russian representatives to prohibit the adoption of improved riflos and

artillery was rejected. EXPORT CARGO. Per steamer Laos, sailed on the 17th June. For Milan :- 30 bules rany silk. For France :-32 bales raw silk, 5 cases silks. 3 packages tos. case vases, 25 cases staraniseed, and 1 roll

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Hongkong, 19th Jane, 1899,

PUBLIC COMPANIES

STOCKBROKERS' ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG. A N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of MEMBERS of the Association is hereby convened for SATUR. DAY, the 24th instant, at 4 P.M., to consider certain propositions by Members. ERICH GEORG;

Hongkong, 19th June, 1899, THE HONGRONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hon Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA. ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd. will be held at the Office of the Company, the Spies of the Wight, by Headen Hill Colony of Hongkong, on MONDAY, the Buildings, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, on MONDAY, the Srd July, 1899, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of subjoined resolution will be proposed. Should Black but Comely, by Whyte Melville ... Three Lots of Crown Land, in the Colony the Resolution be passed by the required majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently The Mormon Prophet, by Lily Dougall The Yellow Danger, by Shiel.

"That the memorandum and articles of Association submitted to this meeting be and the same are hereby approved and that pursuant to the provisions of the Companies (Memorandum of Association) Ordinance 1890 the form of the Company's Constitution he altered by substituting such memorandom of Association with extended objects as therein set forth and such articles of Association for the Company's Deed of Settlement dated the 29th of August, 1863, and for all regulations of the Company subsequently made and now in force; and that the Directors be authorized to apply to the Court to confirm this resolution under the said Ordinance."

A copy of the memorandum and articles referred to in the above Resolution lies at the THE following Particulars of Sale of Office of the Company at Queen's Buildings CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUC. aforesaid and can be inspected on application TION, to be held at the Offices of the any time during Office hours. Dated the 16th June, 1899. By Order of the Board.

T. I. ROSE. Secretary. Queen's Building, Victoria, Hongkong. HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the TENTH tion Sale, to be held on MONDAY, ORDINARY YEARLY-MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the the Offices of the Public Works Depart. Company's Office at Queen's Buildings, on ment, by Order of His Excellency the SATURDAY, the 8th July, at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th April, 1899, and electing Directors and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 24th mst, to the 8th prox. both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 20th June, 1899. NOTICE.

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SI 00 per Share has been mude in respect of the "B" Shares in the above named Company, and that such CALL is PAYABLE to

QUEEN'S' ROAD CENTRAL. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON. General Managers. Hongkong, 4th May, 1899.

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of the Shares not fully paid up, and that such Call is payable on the 20th July next, to the undersigned at the Registered Offices of the Company, 38 and 40, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong.

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The N. D. L. steamer Bayern, carrying the German mails with dates from Berlin of the 29th ultime, left Colombo on the 16th instant, at noon, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 27th instant.

Singapore on the 15th instant, and is expected here on Wednesday, the 21st instant. The N. Y. K. steamer Riojun Maru (American Line) left Kobe, via Moji for this port on the 15th instant, and is expected to arrive On MANILA.—
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The H. A. L. steamer Ellen Richmers, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 17th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 23rd instant, The N. P. steamer Columbia, arrived at Yokohama, and sailed for Hongkong via Kobe on Monday, the 12th instant. The N. P. steamer Glenogle has arrived at Yokohama and sailed for Kobe and Hongkong

on the 5th instant. The C. & O. S. Co.'s steamer Belgian King, leaves Yokohama on the 17th instant, for Hongkong via Kobe and Nagasaki. The C. & O. Co.'s steamer Carmarthenshire. sailed from San Diego, for Hongkong via ports on the 10th instant. The N. P. S. Co.'s steamer Victoria has arrived at Yokohama and was to leave for Kobe and Hongkong on the 14th instant. The "Ben" Line steamer Benvorlich from

Antworp and London left Singapore on the Hongkong Rope 15th instant, for this port. The N. Y. K. steamer Yamaguchi Maru (Bombay Line) left Bombay via ports for this port on the 15th instant, and is expected to arrive here on the 3rd proxime. The N. G. I. steamer Raffaele Rubattine left Bombay for this port on the 17th instant, and is due here on or about the 6th July.

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connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour han that given below. The Postal Guide for 1899, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory r. xxx This is the only authorised completed Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

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For Swatow, Amoy and Taiwanfoo Per Nanyang, to morrow, the 22nd instant, at 9.00 For Shanghai.—Per Shansi, to morrow, the 22nd instant, at 10.00 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama .- Per Yawata Maru, to-morrow, the 22nd instant, at For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama, Por Rosettet, on Saturday, the 24th inst., at 3.00 P.M. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Suchsen will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 21st Swatow..... instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom,

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